Lanesborough Agricultural Commission

February 18, 2016

The Chair called the meeting to order at 6:04 pm at the Library at the Lanesborough Town Hall.

Attendees: Darlene Newton, Mike Gallagher, and Marvin Michalak. Jim Schultz was absent..

Old Business

1. Free Roaming chickens

It was noted that Darlene and Mike had visited the owner at 22 Narragansett Ave. Members reviewed a proposed by-law as written by Robert Barton. Some suggestions for wording changes were made. It was suggested that other towns be contacted to see if they had any regulations.

It was further noted that this issue would be on the agenda for the Selectmen's meeting on February 22. The AgCom would be present. Discussion of the observations of the AgCom were discussed and how they would be presented to the Selectmen.

Information on the MGL referenced in the Right to Farm By-Law was shared with members.

Since Marvin had not yet visited the property, it was decided that a call would be made to set up a convenient time to meet.

.lt was moved, seconded, and approved to adjourn at 7:10 pm.